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Applicant:

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Title:

THIOFLAVIN DERIVATIVES FOR USE IN ANTEMORTEM

DIAGNOSIS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND IN VIVO IMAGING

AND PREVENTION OF AMYLOID DEPOSITION

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 28, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application. The period for responseto which has been extended to October 28, 2003 by virtue of the attached petition for extension of time and appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 37 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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